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GADDIS & PERRY.

Charles Roe is ill with fever.

John Jamison is visiting in Kingman.

William Studley is in Kingman from White Hills.

Capt. I. C. Conkey, of Mineral Park, is visiting in Kingman.

Town lots will soon be booming in both Cerbat and Chloride.

Silver today in New York is quoted at 57 1/4; lead, 4.00; copper, 10.25.

Mesdames F. E. Brawn and Cal Cross have gone into the country on a visit.

A farewell dance was given to the Misses Potts, in Fay's Hall, last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. M. Gaddis went out to Cerbat yesterday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ayres.

Mrs. O. P. Hart and children spent several days this week at Todd Basin, visiting with Mrs. O. D. Clack.

Hon. O. D. M. Gaddis, accompanied C. O. Atkins went out to look at the mines of Union Pass last Tuesday.

H. J. West came in from the Colorado river Thursday evening last. Mr. West has just made a cleanup of a nice mill run.

Mrs. M. H. Hart is visiting with Mrs. T. B. Shipp, on the Big Sandy. Mr. Hart went out yesterday to bring her home.

T. V. Perkins, representing the San Francisco Chronicle, was in Kingman yesterday in the interest of that sterling paper.

Senator Philip Baker, the new manager of the Cedar Valley Mining and Milling Company, is expected in Kingman this evening.

Frank L. Smith, of the Kingman Mercantile Company, visited the mining camps of Wallapai mining district the early part of the week.

Mrs. Collins returned from Los Angeles the first of the week and has gone to Peach Springs, where she will teach school for the ensuing term.

The Cedar Valley Mining and Milling Company will start up its new fifteen-stamp mill next week on gold ore from the lower ledge of the Arnold.

John W. Gerritt visited the Oro Plata mine last Wednesday. Everything is working smoothly on that property and the leasers are all getting good ore.

Sheriff Potts and two daughters, Lalla and Frankie, departed Thursday morning for Tucson, where the two young ladies will enter the territorial university.

A party was given at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Ely last Monday afternoon in honor of the birthday of their son, Walter. The young folks had an enjoyable time.

Kingman school will open for the fall term next Monday and it is the earnest wish of trustees and teachers that all the children of school age be on hand promptly at nine o'clock in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ziemer have issued invitations to the young folks of Kingman to attend a party at the family residence on Oak street, this evening, the occasion being the eleventh birthday of their daughter, Grace.

A shipment of dump ore from the Lookout mine was run through the Arizona sampler yesterday and yielded four ounces gold to the ton. Mr. Withers is making arrangements to sink the main shaft of the mine fifty feet deeper.

E. E. Ellinwood, the brilliant young attorney, of Flagstaff, has sent out a circular to the effect that he has resigned the office of U. S. Attorney and that hereafter he will attend the sessions of the district court in Mohave, Coconino, Navajo and Apache counties.

Thomas Stinson has taken a lease on the Oro Plata mine.

Maynard Hart was in from the Oro Plata mine early in the week.

F. W. Thies, superintendent of the Schuykill mine, is in Kingman.

Coolidge & Brawn are shipping a carload of rich gold ore from the Oro Plata mine.

The Kingman Mercantile Company has a new adv. in this issue of the MINER.

Clack brothers have a carload of Oro Plata ore ready for shipment to the smelter.

O. A. Vandercook, the learned assayer and chemist of the Cedar Valley Mining Company, is in Kingman.

Gold placers have been discovered in Los Angeles, but not in quantities sufficient to pay for putting in a plant to work it.

John Stoner, who is well known among the miners of Mohave county, has gone to Bisbee and will probably go into the Yaqui country before he returns.

Three men are at work on the gold mine south of Kingman, owned by Gaddis, Cohenour and Williamson. They are opening up a splendid body of ore.

O. D. Clack and wife returned from the sea shore last Monday morning. They have gone out to the Oro Plata mine, where Mr. Clack is interested in a lease.

The Misses Belle Maguire and Josie Carrow will leave tomorrow for the Big Sandy, where Miss Maguire will teach school the ensuing term in the Sandy district.

The members of the K. L. O. R. T. today turned over to the Sunday school the library held by that order. It will be accessible to the public at all reasonable hours.

The hoist on the Tennessee mine will be in running order next Monday. A new shaft will be sunk at once and the mine exploited to a depth of several hundred feet.

Ben Cross and Tom Chidister have leased a portion of the Oro Plata mine and have already commenced work. They have removed their families from Kingman to Todd Basin.

There is a possibility of the Utah Mining and Milling Company being reorganized and starting up the Mocking Bird mine and mill. The company has a good property and should work it.

Miss Clara Powers, a sister of Charles Clinton, passed through Kingman a few days ago, on her way to California. The young lady had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Copeland, in St. Joseph, Missouri.

Thomas Gilbert, who went to Los Angeles two weeks ago to consult a physician regarding his physical condition, returned to Kingman Monday morning. He is suffering with enlargement of the liver and dropsy.

There will be a dance in Lake Hall next Saturday evening to which everybody is cordially invited. The dance is to be given under the auspices of the young men of Kingman and will be an enjoyable affair.

T. A. Walker came up from the Chemehuevis mountain a few days ago with a small shipment of gold ore, which he had worked at the sampler. The ore was from a new find on the east side of the Chemehuevis mountains.

The Kingman Mercantile Company are preparing to open a branch store at Chloride. Lumber and carpenters will be sent out next week and a large building erected to hold the big stock of merchandise the firm contemplate carrying.

Mrs. W. A. Liswell and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Patterson and Miss Grace Ziemer, and John P. Feeny arrived from San Diego on last Thursday morning's train. Mr. Feeny will probably make Mohave county his home hereafter. Mrs. Feeny and the baby will remain in San Diego for some time to come. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will visit with relatives in Kingman.

Mrs. Charles Metcalfe and two children returned last Thursday morning from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting with her parents for several months past.

William Sweeny came in from Wallapai mountain yesterday. He reports the mine, upon which he is at work, looking well and that about three tons of pay ore has been taken out in sinking and drifting on the ledge.

Laffer and Hampton have just received returns from a carload shipment of ore from the Oro Plata mine. The ore worked five ounces gold and eighteen ounces silver to the ton. They have on the dump, ready for shipment, another carload of ore equally as good.

The west drift of the Eureka, from the 225-level, has cut the big ore chute. If the mine continues to develop as well below as at the 140 level a forty-stamp mill will be erected at the mouth of the Cerbat wash, where all the ores from the two big properties—the Eureka and Union—will be milled.

Capt. C. Taylor has leased and bonded the New London mine of John Mulligan and has commenced work on it. Capt. Taylor is a thorough mining man and will put the New London in shape to produce great quantities of ore. The ore body in this mine is large and will pay well at the present price of lead.

Every miner in Mohave county will bear with pleasure that that sterling old miner, Matt Carr, has at last struck it rich. For months past he has been at work on his mining claim, near the Robert E. Lee, Cedar valley, and is rewarded by finding an eight inch streak of gold ore that will run 1000\$ to the ton. The entire ledge, which is a large one, will mill fully one hundred dollars in gold. The ore is laced and seamed with gold. Mr. Carr has a good sized shipment ready to send in to the sampler.

Last Sunday evening Frank Ready, a miner employed in the Schuykill mine, at Chloride, met with a serious accident. He was working in a winze and had put in a round of holes, loaded them and after putting "snuffs" under the fuses, began to climb the ladder. The ladder was tied to the string of ladders above with a rope and when Mr. Ready's weight came on it the rope parted and ladder and man fell to the bottom of the winze. The small bone in Mr. Ready's leg was broken and his ankle turned by the fall, but despite the intense pain he was suffering he managed to extinguish the burning fuses and save himself from a horrible death. He was brought to the surface and later taken to Kingman, where he is now under the care of Dr. Ealy. It will be a long time before Mr. Ready is able to go to work again.

Some months ago an immensely rich body of silver ore was opened up in a winze in the Schuykill mine, but the matter had been kept quiet pending the erection of a hoist on the property. Later development has opened up a body of ore five feet in width that runs from 1000 to 3000 ounces in silver and over two ounces gold to the ton. The ore is galena, laced together with native silver. Mr. Thies, the superintendent, has been working the property for several years past with indifferent success, but now the mine will become a record breaker. About twelve years ago the mine was worked by the Benson Smelting Company, but after the failure of that company it was allowed to remain idle until it was purchased by the Southwestern Mining and Reduction Company, about four years ago.

Gov McCord has appointed ex-governor L. C. Hughes chancellor of the territorial university. Mr. Hughes is devoted to the educational institutions of Arizona and his selection to this important position is a just tribute to his worth as an educator.

Klondike.

75 men wanted who intend going to Alaska. Co-operative plan. Send for particulars. Klondike Co-operative Co. Box 2272, San Francisco, Cal.

Odds and Ends.

There is ten pounds of glue in the human body, which is supposed to account for so many people being stuck on themselves.

A Warren woman fell from her wheel the other day and bit off a piece of her tongue. The local papers report that the accident caused some of the meanest men in that town to buy wheels for their wives.

The Phoenix Herald sizes up the mining situation in this territory as follows: "The mining interests of the Territory are going to bring in more money this fall than all other interests combined. The fact is Arizona has a quiet little mining boom on right now, and has had all summer. The hunt for promising mining property is incessant and searching."

An exchange remarks that a mosquito would make a good advertisement because he would never be satisfied with one insertion. He would make a good collector, too, because he presents his bill before the work is done and he is such a persistent cuss that you settle with him at once rather than have him call again.

Miss Kate Tuttle, daughter of E. D. Tuttle, has been appointed as postmistress of our neighboring town of Safford. A better selection could not have been made, nor could the position have been more worthily bestowed. Miss Kate was in this valley from childhood and her father is a pioneer in the Territory, having served in the first Arizona legislature from Mohave county.—Graham Bulletin.

A curious sight is to be seen in the river near St. John's, Ariz. On account of drawing off the water in the reservoir at the Meadows for irrigation, thousands of fish are making their way up the river. On the rapids just below the bridge they are moving up in a continuous stream. As their further progress is checked by the dam in the river above the bridge, the deep pool under the dam is crowded with the finny tribe.

Egotism defrauds its possessor; it makes a man an unconscious hypocrite, for the reason that his actions begot deeds based upon his narrow conceptions of right. Every truth must conform to his preconceived opinions, and his opinions being wrong he fails to receive the benefits of truth. If the self-idolator knew one millionth part of what there is to know, he would lose his self-esteem by the realization of his own ignorance.

The Zuni Indians tortured an old woman a few days ago until they extorted from her a confession that she had bewitched the nostrums prepared by the medicine men so that the nostrums failed to cure the sickness of a prominent Indian. This would indicate that the Zunis have reached about that degree of civilization prevalent in the New England States when witches were burned at the stake, although the Zunis are more humane, being satisfied with torture of witches instead of burning them to death. As the Zunis are savages, U. S. troops have been sent against them. In order that the majesty of the law may be fully vindicated and Zuni witchcraft given a fair show it might be well to prosecute these Zuni medicine men for practicing medicine in violation of the law of Arizona without first filing their diplomas for record.—Exchange.

Arizona Sampling Works.

The following ore lots were received at the above works this week.

T. A. Walker, Chemehuevis, small lot gold ore.

Henry Harding, Lookout mine, two tons gold ore.

J. W. Gerritt, Oro Plata mine, three tons rich ore.

Nelson, Smith & Nelson, Fenner, four tons gold ore.

Cedar Valley Mining & Milling Company, one carload concentrates.

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A Washington dispatch of recent date says: The Secretary of the Interior has made final disposition of the celebrated case of W. H. Gowdy et al. vs. the Kismet Mining Company of Cripple Creek, Col. This case involved the publication of mining claims in extenso. Some time ago the department decided this case and that decision if carried into effect would have compelled readvertisement of 90 per cent of all the mining claims in the United States that have not yet been patented.

This is the fourth and final hearing of the case, and the decision today directly reverses the original one. Under its terms there need be no readvertisement of the old claims, but all claims published since the 1st of June must be advertised in exact and absolute accordance with all regulations.

Secretary Bliss' final decision recedes from the position of Hoke Smith to the effect that all the old claims must be readvertised with the same completeness of description that is demanded for new ones. It sustains the decision of Ex-Secretary Francis. The case has been carried through hearings, and rehearings, and, as at last closed, relieved many thousands of mining claimants throughout the United States of the embarrassment and expense of readvertisement.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Fourth Judicial District, of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Mohave.

JAMES UNCAPHER,

Plaintiff,

Summons.

THE GARDEN SPRINGS MINING CORPORATION, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in and for the County of Mohave, Territory of Arizona.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to The Garden Springs Mining Corporation:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in and for the County of Mohave, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the clerk of this court at Kingman, in said county (a copy of which complaint accompanies this summons), within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county, but if served out of the county and within the district, then within twenty days; where personal service of a copy of the summons and complaint is made out of the Territory, or service by publication is made as provided by law, within twenty days after the completion thereof; in all other cases thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment by default against you.

This action is to foreclose a miner's and material man's lien, as appears of record in the office of the County Recorder of Mohave County, Arizona.

And costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at Kingman, this 11th (SEAL) day of September, 1897.

CHAS. E. BOWERS,

Clerk.

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